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Form 990-PF

## Return of Private Foundation

or Section 4947(a)(1) Trust Treated as Private Foundation

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For calendar year 2017 or tax year beginning

, and ending

Name of foundation

Cardinal Institute for West Virginia Policy, Inc

Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address)

Room/suite

PO Box 11495

City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code

Charleston WV 25339

Foreign country name

Foreign province/state/county

Foreign postal code

## G Check all that apply

- Initial return
- Initial return of a former public charity
- Final return
- Amended return
- Address change
- Name change

H Check type of organization  Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust  Other taxable private foundationI Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col. (c), line 16) ► \$ 199,201 J Accounting method  Cash  Accrual  Other (specify) (Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis.)

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see instructions))

		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
1	Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received (attach schedule)	337,199			
2	Check ► <input type="checkbox"/> if the foundation is not required to attach Sch R				
3	Interest on savings and temporary cash investments				
4	Dividends and interest from securities				
5a	Gross rents				
b	Net rental income or (loss)				
6a	Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10				
b	Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a				
7	Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)				
8	Net short-term capital gain				
9	Income modifications				
10a	Gross sales less returns and allowances				
b	Less Cost of goods sold				
c	Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule)				
11	Other income (attach schedule)				
12	Total. Add lines 1 through 11	337,199	0	0	
13	Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc				
14	Other employee salaries and wages	100,402			70,281
15	Pension plans, employee benefits	12,074			8,452
16a	Legal fees (attach schedule) JAN 08 2019	775			775
b	Accounting fees (attach schedule)	3,075			
c	Other professional fees (attach schedule)				
17	Interest				
18	Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions)				
19	Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion				
20	Occupancy	780			780
21	Travel, conferences, and meetings	9,550			9,550
22	Printing and publications	963			963
23	Other expenses (attach schedule)	107,797			104,409
24	Total operating and administrative expenses.	235,416	0	0	195,210
25	Contributions, gifts, grants paid				
26	Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	235,416	0	0	195,210
27	Subtract line 26 from line 12:				
a	Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	101,783			
b	Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		0		
c	Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			0	

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	<b>Part II Balance Sheets</b>	Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only (See instructions.)	<b>Beginning of year</b>	<b>End of year</b>	
			(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
	1 Cash—non-interest-bearing		128,733	199,201	199,201
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments				
	3 Accounts receivable ►				
	Less allowance for doubtful accounts ►				
	4 Pledges receivable ►				
	Less allowance for doubtful accounts ►				
	5 Grants receivable				
	6 Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see instructions)				
	7 Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule) ►				
	Less allowance for doubtful accounts ►				
	8 Inventories for sale or use				
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges				
	10a Investments—U.S. and state government obligations (attach schedule)				
	b Investments—corporate stock (attach schedule)				
	c Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule)				
	11 Investments—land, buildings, and equipment basis ►				
	Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ►				
	12 Investments—mortgage loans				
	13 Investments—other (attach schedule)				
	14 Land, buildings, and equipment basis ►				
	Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ►				
	15 Other assets (describe ►)				
	16 Total assets (to be completed by all filers—see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I)		128,733	199,201	199,201
	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses		31,315		
	18 Grants payable				
	19 Deferred revenue				
	20 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons				
	21 Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule)				
	22 Other liabilities (describe ►)				
	23 Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)		31,315	0	
	24 Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here ► <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				
	and complete lines 24 through 26, and lines 30 and 31.				
	25 Unrestricted		97,418	199,201	
	26 Temporarily restricted				
	27 Permanently restricted				
	28 Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/>				
	and complete lines 27 through 31.				
	29 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds				
	30 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg , and equipment fund				
	31 Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds				
	32 Total net assets or fund balances (see instructions)		97,418	199,201	
	33 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see instructions)		128,733	199,201	

**Part III Analysis of Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances**

1 Total net assets or fund balances at beginning of year—Part II, column (a), line 30 (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	1	97,418
2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	101,783
3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ►	3	
4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	199,201
5 Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ►	5	
6 Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5)—Part II, column (b), line 30	6	199,201

**Part IV Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income**

a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (for example, real estate, 2-story brick warehouse, or common stock, 200 shs MLC Co.)			(b) How acquired P—Purchase D—Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo., day, yr)	(d) Date sold (mo., day, yr)
1a					
b					
c					
d					
e					
(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale		(h) Gain or (loss) ((e) plus (f) minus (g))	
a					
b					
c					
d					
e					
Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69				(i) Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col (h))	
(I) FMV as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col (i) over col (j), if any			
a					
b					
c					
d					
e					
2 Capital gain net income or (net capital loss)	{ If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7 }		2		0
3 Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6): If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c) See instructions. If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8			3		0

**Part V Qualification Under Section 4940(e) for Reduced Tax on Net Investment Income**

(For optional use by domestic private foundations subject to the section 4940(a) tax on net investment income.)

If section 4940(d)(2) applies, leave this part blank

Was the foundation liable for the section 4942 tax on the distributable amount of any year in the base period?  Yes  No  
If "Yes," the foundation doesn't qualify under section 4940(e). Do not complete this part.

1 Enter the appropriate amount in each column for each year, see the instructions before making any entries

(a) Base period years Calendar year (or tax year beginning in)	(b) Adjusted qualifying distributions	(c) Net value of noncharitable-use assets	(d) Distribution ratio (col (b) divided by col (c))
2016	154,366	97,444	1 584151
2015	70,284	17,992	3.906403
2014	0	754	0 000000
2013	0	0	0 000000
2012	0	0	0 000000

- 2 Total of line 1, column (d)
- 3 Average distribution ratio for the 5-year base period—divide the total on line 2 by 5 0, or by the number of years the foundation has been in existence if less than 5 years
- 4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2017 from Part X, line 5
- 5 Multiply line 4 by line 3
- 6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)
- 7 Add lines 5 and 6
- 8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4
- If line 8 is equal to or greater than line 7, check the box in Part VI, line 1b, and complete that part using a 1% tax rate. See the Part VI instructions.

**Part VI** , Excise Tax Based on Investment Income (Section 4940(a), 4940(b), 4940(e), or 4948—see Instructions)

- 1a** Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here ►  and enter "N/A" on line Date of ruling or determination letter \_\_\_\_\_ (attach copy of letter if necessary—see instructions)

**b** Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here ►  and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b

**c** All other domestic foundations enter 2% of line 27b Exempt foreign organizations, enter 4% of Part I, line 12, col. (b).

**2** Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only, others, enter -0-)

**3** Add lines 1 and 2

**4** Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only, others, enter -0-)

**5** **Tax based on investment income.** Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-

**6** Credits/Payments

6a
6b
6c
6d

**a** 2017 estimated tax payments and 2016 overpayment credited to 2017

**b** Exempt foreign organizations—tax withheld at source

**c** Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)

**d** Backup withholding erroneously withheld

**7** Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d

**8** Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax Check here  if Form 2220 is attached

**9** **Tax due.** If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter amount owed

**10** **Overpayment.** If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid

**11** Enter the amount of line 10 to be: Credited to 2018 estimated tax ►  Refund

and enter "N/A" on line 1 necessary—see instructions)		
V, check		
nizations, enter 4% of		
ns only, others, enter -0-)		
ns only, others, enter -0-)		
ess, enter -0-		
<b>6a</b>		
<b>6b</b>		
<b>6c</b>		
<b>6d</b>		
If Form 2220 is attached ed		►
ount overpaid		►
<b>Refunded</b>		►
<b>1</b>		
<b>2</b>		0
<b>3</b>		0
<b>4</b>		
<b>5</b>		0
<b>7</b>		0
<b>8</b>		
<b>9</b>		0
<b>10</b>		0
<b>11</b>		0

**Part VII-A      Statements Regarding Activities**

- 1a** During the tax year, did the foundation attempt to influence any national, state, or local legislation or did it participate or intervene in any political campaign?

**b** Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes? See the instructions for the definition.

If the answer is "Yes" to **1a** or **1b**, attach a detailed description of the activities and copies of any materials published or distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities.

**c** Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?

**d** Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year  
(1) On the foundation. ► \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (2) On foundation managers ► \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**e** Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers. ► \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**2** Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities.

**3** Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS, in its governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws, or other similar instruments? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes.

**4a** Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?

**b** If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?

**5** Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? If "Yes," attach the statement required by *General Instruction T*.

**6** Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either  
• By language in the governing instrument, or  
• By state legislation that effectively amends the governing instrument so that no mandatory directions that conflict with the state law remain in the governing instrument?

**7** Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? If "Yes," complete Part II, col (c), and Part XV.

**8a** Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered. See instructions.  
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**b** If the answer is "Yes" to line 7, has the foundation furnished a copy of Form 990-PF to the Attorney General (or designate) of each state as required by *General Instruction G*? If "No," attach explanation.

**9** Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation within the meaning of section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5) for calendar year 2017 or the tax year beginning in 2017? See the instructions for Part XIV. If "Yes," complete Part XIV.

**10** Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses.

	Yes	No
1a		X
1b		X
1c		X
2		X
3		X
4a		X
4b	N/A	
5		X
6	X	
7	X	
8b	X	
9		X
10	X	

**Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities (continued)**

- 11 At any time during the year, did the foundation, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," attach schedule. See instructions. 11  Yes  No X
- 12 Did the foundation make a distribution to a donor advised fund over which the foundation or a disqualified person had advisory privileges? If "Yes," attach statement. See instructions. 12  Yes  No X
- 13 Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address ► [www.cardinalinstitute.com](http://www.cardinalinstitute.com) 13  Yes  No X
- 14 The books are in care of ► Garrett Ballengee Telephone no. ► (304) 561-7634  
Located at ► PO Box 11495 Charleston WV ZIP+4 ► 25339
- 15 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041—check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year ► 15 ►
- 16 At any time during calendar year 2017, did the foundation have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a bank, securities, or other financial account in a foreign country? See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114. If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ► 16  Yes  No X

**Part VII-B Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required**

File Form 4720 if any item is checked in the "Yes" column, unless an exception applies.

- 1a During the year, did the foundation (either directly or indirectly):
- (1) Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person?  Yes  No
  - (2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person?  Yes  No
  - (3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person?  Yes  No
  - (4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person?  Yes  No
  - (5) Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available for the benefit or use of a disqualified person)?  Yes  No
  - (6) Agree to pay money or property to a government official? (Exception. Check "No" if the foundation agreed to make a grant to or to employ the official for a period after termination of government service, if terminating within 90 days)  Yes  No
- b If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)–(6), did any of the acts fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4941(d)-3 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance? See instructions. Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance, check here ► 1b N/A
- c Did the foundation engage in a prior year in any of the acts described in 1a, other than excepted acts, that were not corrected before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2017? 1c X
- 2 Taxes on failure to distribute income (section 4942) (does not apply for years the foundation was a private operating foundation defined in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5))
- a At the end of tax year 2017, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2017?  Yes  No  
If "Yes," list the years ► 20\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_
- b Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is not applying the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) (relating to incorrect valuation of assets) to the year's undistributed income? (If applying section 4942(a)(2) to all years listed, answer "No" and attach statement—see instructions.) 2b N/A
- c If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here. ► 20\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_
- 3a Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year?  Yes  No
- b If "Yes," did it have excess business holdings in 2017 as a result of (1) any purchase by the foundation or disqualified persons after May 26, 1969; (2) the lapse of the 5-year period (or longer period approved by the Commissioner under section 4943(c)(7)) to dispose of holdings acquired by gift or bequest, or (3) the lapse of the 10-, 15-, or 20-year first phase holding period? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2017) 3b N/A
- 4a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes? 4a X
- b Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2017? 4b X

**Part VII-B Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required (continued)**

<b>5a</b>	During the year, did the foundation pay or incur any amount to:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(1) Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(2) Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955); or to carry on, directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(3) Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(4) Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc., organization described in section 4945(d)(4)(A)? See instructions.		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(5) Provide for any purpose other than religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
<b>b</b>	If any answer is "Yes" to 5a(1)–(5), did any of the transactions fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance? See instructions			
Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/>				
<b>c</b>	If the answer is "Yes" to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exemption from the tax because it maintained expenditure responsibility for the grant?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945–5(d)				
<b>6a</b>	Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
<b>b</b>	Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870			
<b>7a</b>	At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
b If "Yes," did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction?				
<b>Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors</b>				

**1 List all officers, directors, trustees, and foundation managers and their compensation. See instructions.**

(a) Name and address	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
See Attached Statement	.00	0		
	.00	0		
	.00	0		
	.00	0		
	.00	0		

**2 Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those included on line 1—see instructions). If none, enter "NONE."**

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$50,000	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
Garrett A Ballengee 1632 Quarner Street, Charleston, WV 25311	Executive Director 40.00	67,308		
	.00	0		
	.00	0		
	.00	0		
	.00	0		

Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000 ►

**Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors (continued)**

**3 Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services. See instructions. If none, enter "NONE."**

(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		

**Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services**

**Part IX-A      Summary of Direct Charitable Activities**

List the foundation's four largest direct charitable activities during the tax year. Include relevant statistical information such as the number of organizations and other beneficiaries served, conferences convened, research papers produced, etc.		Expenses
1	The organization was formed to research, analyze, create, and communicate public policy models as well as educate the citizens of West Virginia regarding principles of public policy and sound governance. Estimated 1.8 million citizens benefited	195,210
2		
3		
4		

**Part IX-B      Summary of Program-Related Investments (see instructions)**

**Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2.**

1	
2	

All other program-related investments. See instructions.

3 \_\_\_\_\_

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**Total.** Add lines 1 through 3

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**Part X Minimum Investment Return** (All domestic foundations must complete this part. Foreign foundations, see instructions.)

1	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes		
a	Average monthly fair market value of securities	1a	0
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	117,820
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions)	1c	
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	117,820
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation)	1e	
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	2	
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	117,820
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities Enter 1½ % of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	1,767
5	<b>Net value of noncharitable-use assets.</b> Subtract line 4 from line 3 Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	116,053
6	<b>Minimum investment return.</b> Enter 5% of line 5	6	5,803

**Part XI Distributable Amount** (see instructions) (Section 4942(j)(3) and (j)(5) private operating foundations and certain foreign organizations, check here ►  and do not complete this part.)

1	Minimum investment return from Part X, line 6	1	5,803
2a	Tax on investment income for 2017 from Part VI, line 5	2a	
b	Income tax for 2017. (This does not include the tax from Part VI )	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	
3	Distributable amount before adjustments Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	5,803
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	5,803
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)	6	
7	<b>Distributable amount as adjusted</b> Subtract line 6 from line 5 Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7	5,803

**Part XII Qualifying Distributions** (see instructions)

1	Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc., purposes	1a	195,210
a	Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc—total from Part I, column (d), line 26	1b	
b	Program-related investments—total from Part IX-B	2	
2	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes	3a	
3	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the:	3b	
a	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required)	4	195,210
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule)	5	
4	<b>Qualifying distributions.</b> Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8; and Part XIII, line 4	6	195,210
5	Foundations that qualify under section 4940(e) for the reduced rate of tax on net investment income Enter 1% of Part I, line 27b See instructions		
6	<b>Adjusted qualifying distributions.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4		

Note. The amount on line 6 will be used in Part V, column (b), in subsequent years when calculating whether the foundation qualifies for the section 4940(e) reduction of tax in those years.

**Part XIII Undistributed Income (see instructions)**

	(a) Corpus	(b) Years prior to 2016	(c) 2016	(d) 2017
1 Distributable amount for 2017 from Part XI, line 7				5,803
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2017:				0
a Enter amount for 2016 only . . . . .				
b Total for prior years. 20 ____, 20 ____, 20 ____				
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2017:				
a From 2012				
b From 2013				
c From 2014				
d From 2015	69,375			
e From 2016	149,485			
f Total of lines 3a through e	218,860			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2017 from Part XII, line 4 ► \$ 195,210				
a Applied to 2016, but not more than line 2a				
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required—see instructions)				
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required—see instructions)				
d Applied to 2017 distributable amount				5,803
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	189,407			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2017. (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a) )				
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e. Subtract line 5	408,267			
b Prior years' undistributed income. Subtract line 4b from line 2b	0			
c Enter the amount of prior years' undistributed income for which a notice of deficiency has been issued, or on which the section 4942(a) tax has been previously assessed				
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b. Taxable amount—see instructions				
e Undistributed income for 2016. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount—see instructions				0
f Undistributed income for 2017. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2018				0
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (Election may be required—see instructions)				
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2012 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions)				
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2018. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	408,267			
10 Analysis of line 9				
a Excess from 2013				
b Excess from 2014				
c Excess from 2015	69,375			
d Excess from 2016	149,485			
e Excess from 2017	189,407			

**Part XIV Private Operating Foundations (see instructions and Part VII-A, question 9)****N/A**

<b>1a</b>	If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2017, enter the date of the ruling	► <input type="checkbox"/> 4942(j)(3) or <input type="checkbox"/> 4942(j)(5)				
<b>b</b>	Check box to indicate whether the foundation is a private operating foundation described in section					
<b>2a</b>	Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed					
<b>b</b>	85% of line 2a					
<b>c</b>	Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed					
<b>d</b>	Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities					
<b>e</b>	Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities. Subtract line 2d from line 2c					
<b>3</b>	Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon					
<b>a</b>	"Assets" alternative test—enter:					
(1)	Value of all assets					0
(2)	Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i)					0
<b>b</b>	"Endowment" alternative test—enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in Part X, line 6 for each year listed					0
<b>c</b>	"Support" alternative test—enter:					
(1)	Total support other than gross investment income (interest, dividends, rents, payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties)					0
(2)	Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii)					0
(3)	Largest amount of support from an exempt organization					0
(4)	Gross investment income					0

**Part XV Supplementary Information (Complete this part only if the foundation had \$5,000 or more in assets at any time during the year—see instructions.)****1 Information Regarding Foundation Managers:**

- a List any managers of the foundation who have contributed more than 2% of the total contributions received by the foundation before the close of any tax year (but only if they have contributed more than \$5,000) (See section 507(d)(2).)

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- b List any managers of the foundation who own 10% or more of the stock of a corporation (or an equally large portion of the ownership of a partnership or other entity) of which the foundation has a 10% or greater interest.

Not applicable

**2 Information Regarding Contribution, Grant, Gift, Loan, Scholarship, etc., Programs:**

Check here ►  if the foundation only makes contributions to preselected charitable organizations and does not accept unsolicited requests for funds If the foundation makes gifts, grants, etc., to individuals or organizations under other conditions, complete items 2a, b, c, and d See instructions.

- a The name, address, and telephone number or email address of the person to whom applications should be addressed

- b The form in which applications should be submitted and information and materials they should include

- c Any submission deadlines

- d Any restrictions or limitations on awards, such as by geographical areas, charitable fields, kinds of institutions, or other factors

**Part XV Supplementary Information (continued)****3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment**

Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
a Paid during the year				
Total				► 3a 0
b Approved for future payment				
Total				► 3b 0

## **Part XVI-A Analysis of Income-Producing Activities**

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated.

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated.		Unrelated business income	Excluded by section 512, 513, or 514			
		(a) Business code	(b) Amount	(c) Exclusion code	(d) Amount	(e) Related or exempt function income (See instructions )
<b>1</b>	<b>Program service revenue</b>					
a						
b						
c						
d						
e						
f						
<b>g</b>	<b>Fees and contracts from government agencies</b>					
<b>2</b>	<b>Membership dues and assessments</b>					
<b>3</b>	<b>Interest on savings and temporary cash investments</b>					
<b>4</b>	<b>Dividends and interest from securities</b>					
<b>5</b>	<b>Net rental income or (loss) from real estate</b>					
a	Debt-financed property					
b	Not debt-financed property					
<b>6</b>	<b>Net rental income or (loss) from personal property</b>					
<b>7</b>	<b>Other investment income</b>					
<b>8</b>	<b>Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory</b>					
<b>9</b>	<b>Net income or (loss) from special events</b>					
<b>10</b>	<b>Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory</b>					
<b>11</b>	<b>Other revenue</b> a					
b						
c						
d						
e						
<b>12</b>	<b>Subtotal Add columns (b), (d), and (e)</b>		0			0
<b>13</b>	<b>Total Add line 12, columns (b), (d), and (e)</b>		13			0

(See worksheet in line 13 instructions to verify calculations )

**Part XVI-B Relationship of Activities to the Accomplishment of Exempt Purposes**

**Part XVII Information Regarding Transfers to and Transactions and Relationships With Noncharitable Exempt Organizations**

		Yes	No
1	Did the organization directly or indirectly engage in any of the following with any other organization described in section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3) organizations) or in section 527, relating to political organizations?		
a	Transfers from the reporting foundation to a noncharitable exempt organization of		
(1)	Cash	1a(1)	X
(2)	Other assets	1a(2)	X
b	Other transactions		
(1)	Sales of assets to a noncharitable exempt organization	1b(1)	X
(2)	Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization	1b(2)	X
(3)	Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets	1b(3)	X
(4)	Reimbursement arrangements	1b(4)	X
(5)	Loans or loan guarantees	1b(5)	X
(6)	Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations	1b(6)	X
c	Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees	1c	X
d	If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," complete the following schedule. Column (b) should always show the fair market value of the goods, other assets, or services given by the reporting foundation. If the foundation received less than fair market value in any transaction or sharing arrangement, show in column (d) the value of the goods, other assets, or services received.		

**2a** Is the foundation directly or indirectly affiliated with, or related to, one or more tax-exempt organizations described in section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3)) or in section 527?

Yes  No

**b** If "Yes," complete the following schedule

(a) Name of organization	(b) Type of organization	(c) Description of relationship

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than taxpayer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge

**Sign  
Here**

Signature of officer or trustee

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## President

Date \_\_\_\_\_

May the IRS discuss this return  
with the preparer shown below?  
See instructions  Yes  No

<b>Paid Preparer Use Only</b>	Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN
	William G McRay	William G McRay	12/29/2018		P00281093
	Firm's name ► Foundation Group, Inc.		Firm's EIN ►	62-1813735	
Firm's address ► 1321 Murfreesboro Pike, Ste 610, Nashville, TN 37217		Phone no	(615) 361-9445		

**Schedule B**  
(Form 990, 990-EZ,  
or 990-PF)

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Schedule of Contributors**

OMB No 1545-0047

**2017**

- Attach to Form 990, Form 990-EZ, or Form 990-PF.
- Go to [www.irs.gov/Form990](http://www.irs.gov/Form990) for the latest information.

Name of the organization

Cardinal Institute for West Virginia Policy, Inc

Employer identification number

47-1932521

Organization type (check one)

Filers of:

Section:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

501(c)( ) (enter number) organization

4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust **not** treated as a private foundation

527 political organization

Form 990-PF

501(c)(3) exempt private foundation

4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation

501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

Check if your organization is covered by the **General Rule** or a **Special Rule**.

**Note:** Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule. See instructions

**General Rule**

- For an organization filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, contributions totaling \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II. See instructions for determining a contributor's total contributions

**Special Rules**

- For an organization described in section 501(c)(3) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33 1/3 % support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), that checked Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ), Part II, line 13, 16a, or 16b, and that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of the greater of (1) \$5,000, or (2) 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h; or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II
- For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 exclusively for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I, II, and III.
- For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions exclusively for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but no such contributions totaled more than \$1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an exclusively religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Don't complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received *nonexclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions totaling \$5,000 or more during the year ► \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Caution:** An organization that isn't covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules doesn't file Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF), but it must answer "No" on Part IV, line 2, of its Form 990, or check the box on line H of its Form 990-EZ or on its Form 990-PF, Part I, line 2, to certify that it doesn't meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

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**Part I Contributors** (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	Ken and Randy Kendrick 3964 E Paradise View Drve Paradise Valley AZ 85253 Foreign State or Province. Foreign Country	\$ 50,000	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
2	EdChoice 111 Monument Circle Indianapolis IN 46282 Foreign State or Province. Foreign Country	\$ 100,000	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
3	Roe Foundation 415 Belmont Avenue Greenville SC 29601 Foreign State or Province Foreign Country	\$ 10,000	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
4	William Maloney 811 Jetton Street Deavidson NC 28306 Foreign State or Province. Foreign Country	\$ 42,869	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
5	Donors Trust 1800 Diagonal Street STE 280 Alexandria VA 22314 Foreign State or Province Foreign Country	\$ 67,400	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
6	Vanguard Charitable PO Box 9509 Warwick RI 02889 Foreign State or Province Foreign Country	\$ 50,000	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)

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<b>Part I Contributors</b> (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.			
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
7	Tom Graff 108 Graff Lane Charleston WV 25304 Foreign State or Province: _____ Foreign Country: _____	\$ 5,000	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions)
	Foreign State or Province: _____ Foreign Country: _____	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions)
	Foreign State or Province: _____ Foreign Country: _____	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions)
	Foreign State or Province: _____ Foreign Country: _____	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
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	Foreign State or Province: _____ Foreign Country: _____	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
	Foreign State or Province: _____ Foreign Country: _____	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
	Foreign State or Province: _____ Foreign Country: _____	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)

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**Part II Noncash Property** (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part II if additional space is needed

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
	----- ----- ----- -----	\$ -----	-----
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
	----- ----- ----- -----	\$ -----	-----
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
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(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
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(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
	----- ----- ----- -----	\$ -----	-----
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
	----- ----- ----- -----	\$ -----	-----

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**Part III**

**Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions to organizations described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) that total more than \$1,000 for the year from any one contributor.** Complete columns (a) through (e) and the following line entry. For organizations completing Part III, enter the total of exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$1,000 or less for the year. (Enter this information once. See instructions ) ► \$ 0  
Use duplicate copies of Part III if additional space is needed.

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
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<b>(e) Transfer of gift</b>			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
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For Prov	Country	-----	
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
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<b>(e) Transfer of gift</b>			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
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For Prov.	Country	-----	
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
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<b>(e) Transfer of gift</b>			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
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For Prov	Country	-----	
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
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<b>(e) Transfer of gift</b>			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
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For Prov	Country	-----	

**Part VII-A, Line 10 (990-PF) - Substantial Contributors**

	Name	Check "X" if Business	Street	City	State	Zip Code	Foreign Country
1	Ken & Randy Kendrick		3964 E Paradise View Drive	Paradise Valley	AZ	85253	
2	Roe Foundation	X	415 Belmont Avenue	Greenville	SC	29601	
3	EdChoice	X	111 Monument Circle	Indianapolis	IN	46282	
4	William Maloney		811 Jetton Street	Davidson	NC	28306	
5	Donors Trust	X	1800 Diagonal Street STE 280	Alexandria	VA	22314	
6	Vanguard Charitable	X	PO Box 9509	Warwick	RI	02889	
7	Tom Graff		108 Graff Lane	Charleston	WV	25304	

Part VIII, Line 1 (990-PF) - Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees and Foundation Managers

	Name	Check "X" if Business	Street	City	State	Zip Code	Foreign Country	Title	Avg Hrs Per Week	Compensation	Benefits	Expense Account
1	Keith A. Pauley		1603 Stonehenge Road	Charleston	WV	25314		President	0.25	0		
2	Karen M. Bailey		PO Box 184	Ripon	WV	25441		Vice President	0.25	0		
3	Danielle M Waltz		1597 Jane Place	South Charleston	WV	25303		Director	0.25	0		
4	William J. Maloney		811 Jetton Street	Davidson	NC	28035		Director	0.25	0		
5	Monroe P. Warner		1535 Dogwood Road	Charleston	WV	25314		Director	0.25	0		
6	Ronald N. Walters, Jr.		125 Shendan Circle	Charleston	WV	25314		Director	0.25	0		
7	Christopher A. Stansbury		1411 Woodmere Drive	Charleston	WV	25314		Director	0.25	0		

**Part I, Line 16a (990-PF) - Legal Fees**

		775	0	0	775
Description		Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes (Cash Basis Only)
1	Legal research	775			775

**Part I, Line 16b (990-PF) - Accounting Fees**

		3,075	0	0	0
Description		Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes (Cash Basis Only)
1	Accounting Fees	3,075			0

**Part I, Line 23 (990-PF) - Other Expenses**

		107,797	0	0	104,409
Description		Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
1	Business Registration Fees	75	0		
2	Postage & Shipping	7,491	0		7,491
3	Books, Subscriptions and Memberships	4,959	0		4,959
4	Office Supplies	1,060	0		
5	Telephone	1,737	0		
6	Program Expense Contract Services	91,333	0		91,333
7	Advertising Expense	516	0		
8	Information Technology	626	0		626